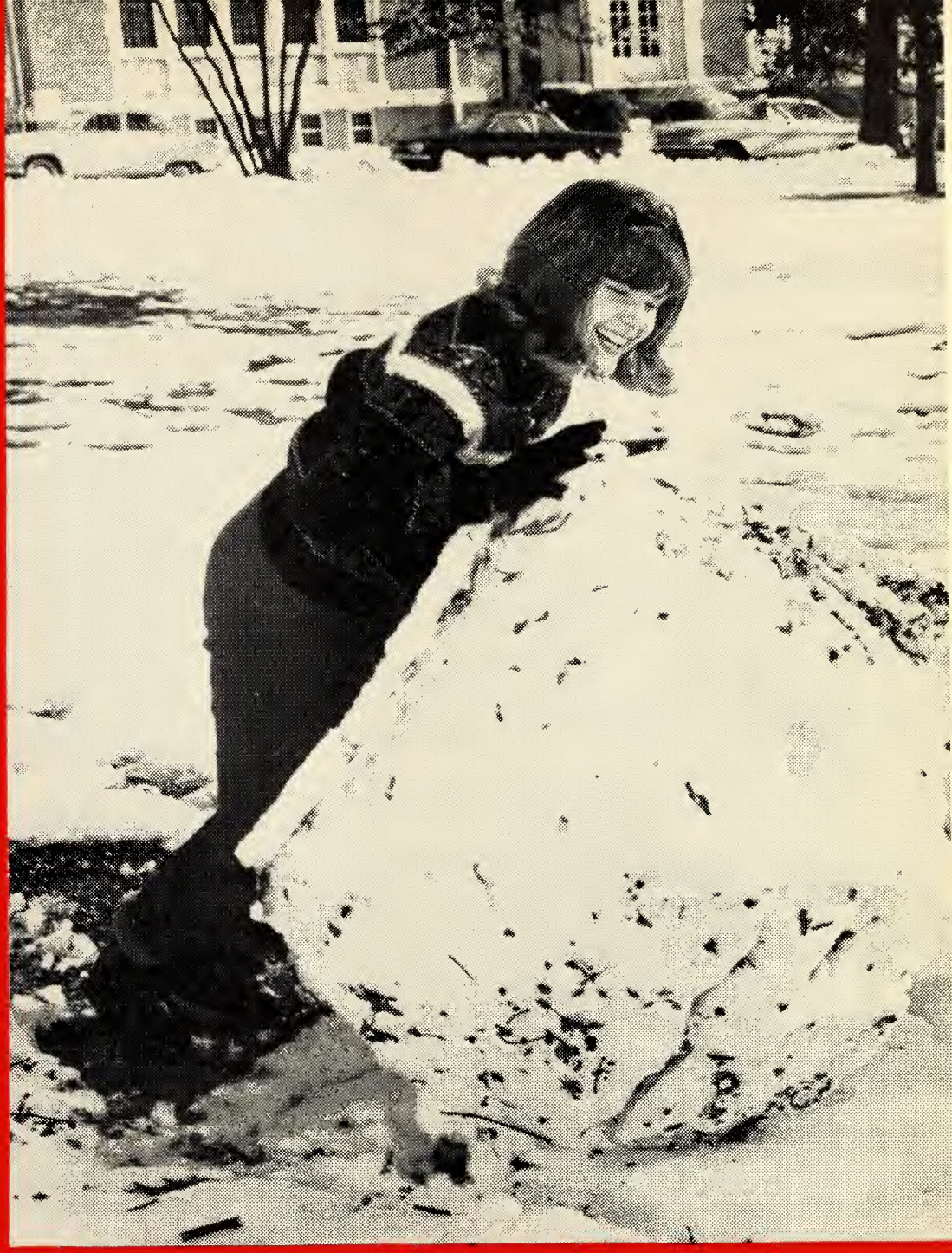

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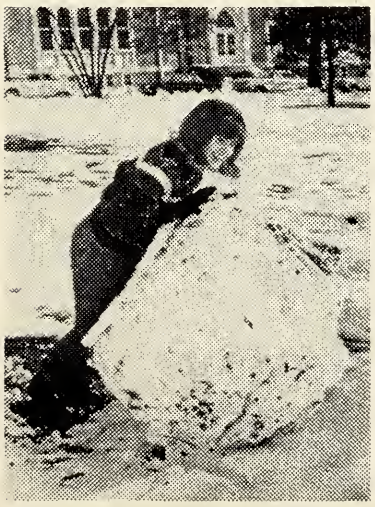


ON THE COVER

For the second consecutive January, semester examinations and the first snow of the winter hit the Lenoir Rhyne campus simultaneously. Neither the exams nor the snow gave in to the other, and the students plodded through both. But Head Cheerleader and Homecoming Queen Terri Ross was happy. And why not? Three days later she had graduated with a sociology major and was headed toward home in snow-less Florida.

On The Campus

Raymond Bost Named New Academic Dean

Lenoir Rhyne College President Voigt R. Cromer announced the appointment of Dr. Raymond M. Bost as new academic dean of the institution on Dec. 3.

Dr. Bost, professor of church history and director of field work at Lutheran Theological Southern seminary, Columbia, S. C., will assume the duties on July 1.

Bost

He will succeed Dr. Edwin L. Setzler, who is relinquishing his administrative duties to devote more time to teaching. Dr. Setzler, a Lenoir Rhyne professor for 40 years, has also served as academic dean since 1935.

Dr. Bost is a graduate of Lenoir Rhyne and was president of its student body in 1948-49.

He has taught at the Lutheran seminary since 1960 and until last year also served as part-time instructor in the sociology department of nearby Columbia college.

A native of Maiden, he earned the Ph.D. degree in church history at Yale university in 1963.

After graduating from high school in Latta, S. C., Dr. Bost attended The Citadel at Charleston, S. C., for one year prior to serving with the United States Marine Corps from 1943 until 1947.

He attended the Biblical seminary in New York and the Lutheran Theological Southern seminary in Columbia, S. C., receiving the B. D. degree from the latter in 1952.

In announcing the appointment, President Cromer paid tribute to Dr. Bost's "strong native endowments, excellent educational background, breadth of experience, professional standards, and genuine human concern."

He added that the newly-appointed dean is highly qualified to give aggressive and prudent leadership in the educational program of Lenoir Rhyne.

"His contribution and influence," he pointed out, "will be strongly felt also in the circles of the college constituency beyond the campus boundaries."

Dr. Bost has served as a Lutheran Church in America pastor, a U. S. Army Reserve chaplain, and a leader of church and civic organizations.

As church pastor, he served at Nativity Lutheran church in Spartanburg, S. C., in 1952 and Holy Trinity Lutheran church in Raleigh from 1953 until 1957.

He also had experience in the campus ministry, having served as Lutheran contact pastor at North Carolina State college and as campus Lutheran pastor at Yale university.

A chaplain in the U. S. Army Reserve for nine years, he has served as instructor in the chaplain branch of the Columbia USAR School in Columbia, S. C. In addition, he was appointed Mobilization Designee instructor at the U. S. Army Chaplain school at Ft. Hamilton, N. J., during 1956.

At present, in addition to his professorship at the seminary, he is a member of the South Carolina Synod's committee on church vocations and also a committee chosen to prepare a history of the synod.

Active as a leader in many organizations, he was appointed by Gov. William B. Umstead to serve on the Governor's Committee to Implement the Refugee Act of 1953.

While located in Raleigh, he served as president of the North Carolina Conference of Christian Student Workers and, in 1956, was appointed chairman of the Committee on Public Affairs of the North Carolina Council of Churches.

He is married to the former Margaret Vedder of Hartford, Conn., also a Lenoir Rhyne college graduate. They have four children: Timothy Lee, Penelope Ruth, Peter Raymond, and Jonathan Otto.

Hodges To Speak

Luther H. Hodges, former United States Secretary of Commerce and North Carolina governor from 1954-1960, will speak at the April 4 session of "Project 75th: Dialogues/Directions" symposium at Lenoir Rhyne college.

His address, pertaining to the role of the church-related college in the business community, is one of seven being presented for the symposium to commmorate the 75th anniversary of the college.

During the eight-session symposium, the Lutheran institution is examining its role in the church, education, the fine arts, the

realm of the intellect, science, the business community, and public affairs.

Each symposium is led by a man chosen for his demonstrated ability in one of these areas. The speaker and two discussants, chosen from the college family, work together to present a modern approach to basic problems in the assigned topic.

"Religion and the fine arts are inseparable, and real artists are aware of this, "Dr. Vittorio Giannini, president of the North Carolina School of the Arts, said as he discussed the church-related colleges' support of the arts.

Dr. Giannini, appearing at Lenoir Rhyne during the fine arts session of the symposium, declared that "inspired works last forever, and these works become unique by the help of a spirit beyond mankind, above mankind, which governs mankind."

Former Governor Terry Sanford, examining the church-related college and its role in public affairs, told Lenoir Rhyne students that "college students should become involved and take a position, not especially a rebellious attitude, on current problems of today."

In a session which examined the role of the church-related college and its responsibility to the church, Dr. Francis C. Gamelin, an official of the Lutheran Church in America, warned that despite the pressure for growing college enrollments, many church-related colleges should be seeking small enrollments.

"Some of the colleges that have yielded to the public demand to train more students have hurt themselves in the process.

"It is tragic that church-related colleges have done such a good job in meeting the enrollment demand. They are no longer first-rate colleges because their enrollments exceed their resources."

Dr. William Little, chairman of the department of chemistry at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, returned to his alma mater to discuss the church-related college and its role in science.

He remarked that the church-related college, in fulfilling its role in science today, has the charge from its constituency to provide the highest possible quality of education available, and must, in addition, assume the mission of guiding students toward achieving high moral principles derived from the development of the inner man.

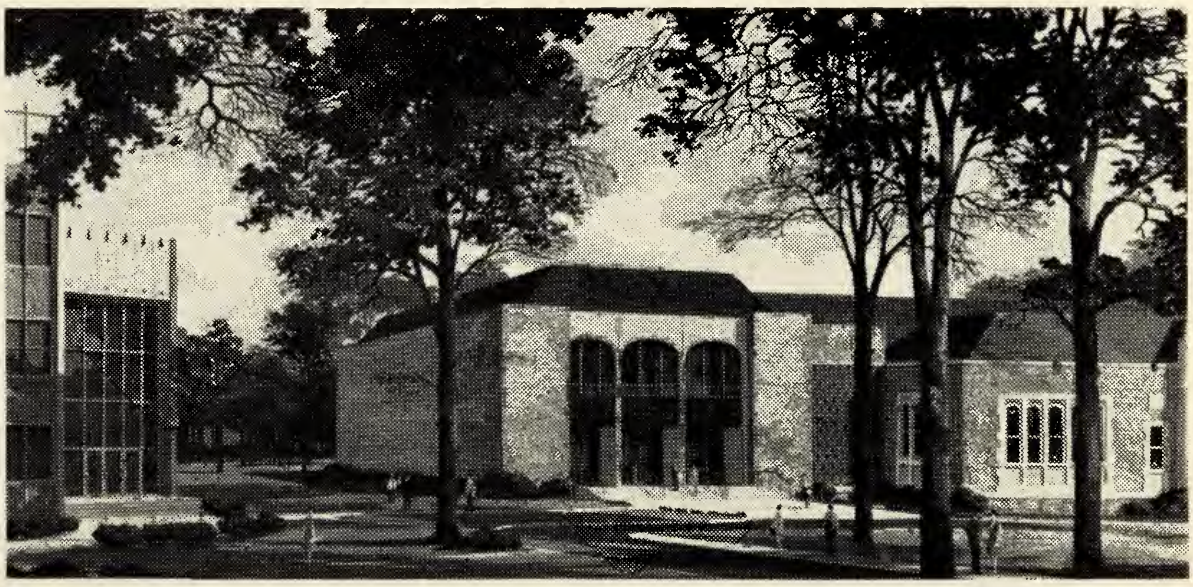
"The denominational college cannot afford to offer its students a program academically inferior to that available on secular campuses," he said, "without performing an actual disservice to the cause that it represents."

Dr. Lois Edinger, immediate past president of the National Education Association, appeared at the college on Feb. 28 to discuss the church-related college's role in education.

Society Taps Three

Two Lenoir Rhyne college seniors and one professor have become members of Mu Sigma Epsilon, honorary scholastic society at Lenoir Rhyne.

Dale Barry Basinger of Rockwell and Mrs. Juanita L. Clark of Hickory are the student selectees. Dr. Wade F. Hook, soci-



AN ADDITION to the Carl A. Rudisill Library at Lenoir Rhyne was assured last month when the board of trustees awarded construction contracts for the expansion. The addition will double the size of the present library building (shown at right above) and will be completed in the spring of 1967. The trustees also authorized the completion of two rooms in the basement and the construction of an observation dome and a 12-inch telescope on the roof of Minges Science Building (shown at left) to be completed this summer. Total cost of the projects and the remodeling of the existing library will be $621,400.

ology department head, is the professor selected.

The purpose of Mu Sigma Epsilon is to inspire and recognize scholarly achievement in the liberal arts with the motto of the organization being "Only the wise are free."

Dr. Hook earned the A.B. degree at Newberry college and B.D. degree at Lutheran Theological Southern seminary. He earned the A.M. and Ph.D. degrees at University of South Carolina and Duke university.

He served as personnel assistant in the department of military science at Harvard university from 1944 to 1946. From 1949-51 he served as pastor of Grace Lutheran church in Hendersonville.

From 1951 until he joined the Lenoir Rhyne faculty in 1959, he served as campus pastor to Lutheran students at Duke university and the University of North Carolina.

Dr. Hook as authored works which have appeared in church publications and "Social Forces" magazine. He is a member of the American Sociological Society.

Mrs. Clark, married to Robert E. Clark, who is with Shuford Mills, Inc., is a Spanish major. Studying to enter a career of teaching, Mrs. Clark has worked as language laboratory assistant on campus and has been a member of the Hickory Choral and Oratorio Society.

She is the mother of four children but still finds time to work in the newly organized Westminister Presbyterian church and continuously earn dean's list grades.

Mr. Basinger is a physical education major. A member of the Bear basketball and baseball teams, he also serves as statistician for the football team.

He has been a dean's list student throughout his college career.

Named Miss Lenoir Rhyne

Miss Judy Kluttz, a senior primary education major from Kannapolis, has been chosen Miss Lenoir Rhyne for 1965-66.

Prior to receiving her most recent honor, she was picked for the publication, "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities."

Criteria which a Miss Lenoir Rhyne contestant should meet are that she participate in campus activities, be attractive, and possess a pleasing personality.

Miss Kluttz works on the yearbook staff, the fine arts committee, and serves as program board secretary.

Cromer Hospitalized

Lenoir Rhyne President Voigt R. Cromer is still confined to Richard Baker hospital in Hickory where he was admitted following a heart attack on Feb. 14.

In a bulletin issued to Lenoir Rhyne students Feb. 25, the physicians in charge reported that, although Dr. Cromer will not be able to return to his full duties for a few weeks, his condition is much improved.

They added that they were encouraged with his progress and anticipate that he will make complete recovery.

TERRY SANFORD, former governor of North Carolina, addressed Lenoir Rhyne students, professors and visitors on the college campus recently as one of the featured speakers in the college's anniversary symposium, "Project 75th: Dialogues/Directions." Standing at left is Prof. Raymond Strunk, Lenoir Rhyne business administration professor who served as chairman for the event. Seated at right facing the camera is Prof. William P. Brandon, Lenoir Rhyne history professor who served as one of the host discussants.

Chapter Roundup

Thirteen of the Lenoir Rhyne 22 alumni chapters have met this year, most of them using as a program the showing of the college's 75th Anniversary filmstrip, "Milestone — Three Quarters of a Century". At 12 of the meetings, the filmstrip was shown by Jeff Norris, director of alumni affairs.

The **Atlanta** chapter met at St. John's Lutheran Church in Atlanta Nov. 16 and elected the Rev. Rufus Cuthbertson '41 president. Also elected were Raymond Paysour '51, vice president; and Miss Mary Lou Lentz '56, secretary-treasurer. The 17 alumni and guests present voted to hold the next meeting this spring.

President David Wittschen '58 presided and was continued as president at the annual meeting of the **Charleston** chapter held at the Howard Johnson restaurant, Charleston, S. C., on Nov. 4.

Fifty alumni and guests attended the **Charlotte** area chapter meeting at the Barclay cafeteria on Nov. 19. They elected Mickey Dry '61 president, the Rev. Jacob Lackey '41 vice president, Mrs. Robert R. (Linda Conrad) Rhyne, Jr. '60 secretary, and Don Shook '60 treasurer.

All officers of the **Columbia** chapter were re-elected at the annual meeting at the Redwood Cafeteria in Richland Mall of Columbia on Jan. 21. They are Miss Eleanor Sheets '47, president; Dr. W. P. Cline '06 vice president; and Mrs. L. Willard (Jane Pope) Mitcham '61, secretary-treasurer. Twenty-nine alumni and guests attended.

The Rev. Richard Roseman '59 was elected new president of the **Fort Lauderdale** chapter during the fall meeting at Peace Lutheran Church on Nov. 20. Also elected were Ray Seitz '50, vice president; and Mrs. Kenneth D. (Carolyn Todd) Kullmar '57, secretary-treasurer. Twenty alumni and guests attended. The program was presented by Prof. Russell E. Brown, associate professor of economics at Lenoir Rhyne. The chapter will meet again on April 23.

Odell McGinnis '27 was elected new president of the **Gaston County** chapter during the annual meeting at the Holiday Inn Restaurant in Gastonia on Oct. 5. Other officers elected were Berlin Carpenter '49, vice president; Mrs. William T. (Doris Shook) Cope '56, secretary-treasurer; and the Rev. Donald R. Deal '56, chaplain. Robert Watkins '51, the retiring president, presided and introduced the speaker, Prof. Kenneth B. Lee, head of the Lenoir Rhyne music department. Fifty-two alumni and guests attended.

Thirty-three alumni and guests attended the meeting of the **Greenville, S. C.** area chapter at Ye Olde Fireplace on Oct. 21. Luther C. Boliek '59 was named new president of the **High Point** chapter during the president, and the Rev. Luther Jeffcoat '33 was designated secretary-treasurer.

Paul Sechrist '49 was named new president of the **High Point** chapter during the meeting at the High Point YWCA on Nov. 15. Also elected were Glenn Berger '50, vice president; and Mrs. David (Elsie Rhodes) Cauble '22, secretary-treasurer. Twenty-one alumni and guests were present.

All officers of the Philadelphia area chapter were re-elected during the annual meeting at the Holiday Inn at Gloucester City, N. J., on Oct. 15. They are Warren Danley '53, president; the Rev. Al Daly 58, vice president; and McCoy Turbyfill 55, secretary-treasurer. Fourteen alumni and guests attended the meeting. The next meeting will be held on Oct. 21.

Miss Mary Wise 59 was elected new president of the **Salisbury** area chapter during the annual meeting at the Chanticleer Restaurant on Nov. 2. Other officers are Bret Summers '60, vice president; and Mrs. Gilbert (Mary Ann Grissom) Johnson '56, secretary-treasurer. The speaker was Coach Danny Williams, instructor in physical education at Lenoir Rhyne. Thirty-four alumni and guests were present.

Luther Adams '48 was re-elected presiddent of the **Stanly County** chapter during the annual meeting at the Sunset Motel Restaurant in Albemarle on Feb. 9. Other officers elected were John David Moose '59, vice president; and Miss Beck Stasavich '63, secretary-treasurer.

Twelve alumni and guests attended the annual meeting of the **Tampa** chapter held Oct. 30 at the S & S Cafeteria in Tampa, Fla. The Rev. Richard Gantt '56 presided. Other officers are the Rev. Thomas Sublett '57, vice president; and Mrs. James K. (Madge Allran) Young '42, secretary-treasurer.

All officers were re-elected during the annual fall business meeting of the **Washington** chapter at Georgetown Lutheran Church on Nov. 18. The officers are Phil Bush '52, president; Coleman Altman '40 and the Rev. Alvin Kuhn '48, vice presidents; and Miss Annella Greever '25 secretary-treasurer.

CONSTITUTION CHANGES ARE

The following changes in the Lenoir Rhyne Alumni Association Constitution and By-Laws have been proposed by the Board of Directors. Notice is hereby given to all members that the recommendations will be presented for adoption at the annual meeting of the association on May 28, 1966, at 6:30 p.m. in the Voigt R. Cromer College Center at Lenoir Rhyne College.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That Article V, Section 1, of the constitution ("There shall be a Board of Directors which shall consist of the officers of the Association, the immediate past president and twelve additional members.") be amended to read: "There shall be a Board of Directors which shall consist of the officers of the Association, the immediate past president, and 18 additional members.", and that Article V, Section 2, of the constitution ("The term of the directors shall be two years, with the term of six expiring each year.") be amended to read: "The term of the directors shall be three years, with the term of six expiring each year."

2. That the following be inserted in the By-Laws as Section 5 and that the present Section 5 and all subsequent articles be renumbered accordingly: "There shall be three nominees for the office of President; the nominee receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared President, the nominee receiving the second highest number of votes shall be declared First Vice President, and the nominee receiving the third highest number of votes shall be declared Second Vice President. There shall be two nominees for the office of Secretary-Treasurer; the nominee receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected."

3. That the following be inserted in the By-Laws as Section 6 and that the present Section 6 and all subsequent articles be renumbered accordingly: "There shall be two nominees for each position on the Board of Directors. The nominee receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. Both the slate of nominees and the directors elected shall be apportioned so that one director is elected each year to represent each of the following groups: (1) classes dated 1 through 5 years prior to date of nomination, (2) classes dated 6 through 11 years prior to date of nomination, (3) classes dated 12 through 18 years prior to date of nomination, (4) classes dated 19 through 26 years prior to date of nomination, (5) classes dated 27 through 35 years prior to date of nomination, and (6) classes dated at least 36 years prior to date of nomination."

Lenoir Rhyne alumni will be asked to approve four changes in the Alumni Association constitution and by-laws when they hold their annual meeting at the college May 28.

The changes, proposed by the board of directors, will change the procedure for electing the three top officers of the association and increase the membership of the board of directors from 12 to 18.

They will also specify that each director represent a consecutive group of alumni classes and authorize the president to appoint the nominating committee.

The recommendations will be submitted for association adoption during the annual meeting at the Alumni Banquet on Alumni Day. The banquet will be held in the Voigt R. Cromer College Center at 6:30 p.m.

Four of the recommendations were prepared by a special study committee authorized by the board of directors. The committee, headed by Klynt Ripple of Lexington, met twice since last fall to examine needed changes in the constitution. Their recommendations were approved by the board at a called meeting on Feb. 19.

The fifth change was proposed by the board itself at its Nov. 13 meeting. The board, now authorized to appoint a nominating committee each year, proposed that this authority be transferred to the president. To facilitate the appointment, the board has usually delegated the responsibility to the president anyway.

Under the proposed election procedure recommended by the board, the three top officers (president, first vice president, second vice president) will be elected on a single ballot. The nominating committee will pick three nominees for president; in the association balloting, the one receiving

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4. That the phrase "Nominate candidates for each office and position to be filled." be substituted for Paragraph (a) of Section 5 of the By-Laws ("Nominate two candidates for each office or position to be filled and shall maintain proper geographical distributin of nominees.").

5. That Section 5 of the By-Laws be changed by inserting after the word "by" and before the words "the Board of Directors" the words: "The President with the approval of", making the By-Law read: "There shall be a nominating committee appointed by the President with the approval of the Board of Directors not later than December 1 each year to serve in the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year. The nominating committee shall. . .".

PROPOSED

the highest number of votes will become president, and the other two will assume the secondary offices.

Under the present procedure, the nominating committee selects two nominees for each of the three offices, and the winner in each contest assumes the office. Nominating committees have criticized the present procedure on the grounds that volunteer leadership is wasted in the process. The three losers in the election cannot serve on the board of directors the following year, although often they are veteran members of the board and provide key leadership. If the change is adopted, there will be only two losers, and each will hold office and be members of the board the following year.

Increasing the membership of the board was recommended to give the association better representation on the governing body and to give more members voice in the direction of the alumni program.

The board membership increases, if approved, will also lengthen the term of office for directors. At present, the board is composed of two groups of six directors, one group elected each year to serve a two-year term. The change asks that the six new seats be added as a third group so one group is elected each year to serve a three-year term. This method of increasing the membership was proposed by the study committee because it gives the board better continuity of personnel. It also reflects a practice followed at many other institutions.

The third change proposed by the study committee will insure that the board of directors includes representatives from alumni groups of different ages. The change is offered to prevent one class or classes of one generation from gaining a disproportionate share of the board seats.

It asks that each of the six seats to be filled each year be assigned to a group of consecutive alumni classes so that the total board membership is representative of all alumni age levels. If the amendment is approved and goes into effect in the 1967 elections, one director will be elected from the classes of 1931 and earlier, one from the classes of 1932-1940, one from the classes of 1941-48, one from the classes of 1949-55, one from the classes of 1956-61, and one from the classes of 1962-66.

Roger Hilsman Speaks

A foreign affairs authority, Roger Hilsman, stated in a recent address at Lenoir Rhyne that he didn't believe that an escalation of the war in Viet Nam would improve matters noticeably.

Since that time there has been an increase in war efforts—both air and ground advances—and it would appear on the surface that the former high State Department official may have been correct in assuming that this in itself would not bring peace.

Mr. Hilsman aided in the formulation of a U. S. policy of limited participation in the Vietnamese war under the Kennedy administration. He is still an ardent supporter of those views.

He based his arguments against escalation of the war on three points.

1. "Escalation would draw Red China more actively into the struggle." He cited the Korean conflict as an example.

2. A step-up in war efforts would create more hostility among the neutral and uncommitteed Vietnamese against the United States if they felt that our forces were the actual ones who were bombing them out of their homes.

3. "If the South Vietnamese are thrust aside as we assume a more dominant role in the war, it might weaken the resolve of the South Vietnamese to fight."

The concepts of Mr. Hilsman are based on the idea that today the battle is for the minds and loyalties of peoples rather than territorial gains.

Appearing in the Lenoir Rhyne college Lecture-Entertainment series, the former Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs is often described as one of the nation's leading authorities on foreign affairs and international politics.

Notes About Alumni

'03 A former lawyer, **Lawrence E. Rudisill,** died on Jan. 9 in Hot Springs, N. C., where he made his home after his retirement. Mr. Rudisill practiced law in Lincolnton and Morganton before his retirement.

'23 The Rev. **Edwin F. Troutman** of Troutman is serving as vice pastor at Philadelphia Lutheran church in Granite Falls.

'32 The former library supervisor of the Catawba County school system, Miss **Lottie Estelle Hood,** died on Dec. 17 in Charlotte.

'33 Miss **Violet Cauble** of Statesville, Iredell county librarian, has been listed in Who's Who of American Women for 1965.

'35 Coach **Clarence Stasavich** of Greenville was recently chosen "Tar Heel of the Week" by the Raleigh News and Observer.

'37 **Harry Vander Linden,** executive vice president of Midstate Contractors, Inc., of Hickory was recently featured in the Neighboring Notable section of the "Hickory Daily Record."

'40 **Thomas Ladshaw Trott,** a Kings Mountain insurance agent, has been listed in "Who's Who in Commerce and Industry" for 1965.

'42 The secretary-treasurer of the C & H Hosiery Company, Inc., **Charles Henry Grove,** was recently featured in the Neighboring Notable section of the "Hickory Daily Record."

'47 A daughter, Ann Cameron, was born to Mr. and Mrs. **Edward W. Walker** on April 24, 1965.

'48 Dr. **Samuel W. Dry** of Muncie, Indiana, was recently promoted from assistant professor to associate professor in business education and office administration at Ball State university.

'49 A daughter, Ann Cameron, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. **(Mary Jane Cannon)** Walker on April 24.

A F-100 Voodoo instructor pilot for the U. S. Air Force, Major **Clarence D. Glenn, Jr.,** has been transferred to duty at Tyndall Air Force base, Florida, after a tour of duty in Iceland.

The superintendent of Sipes Orchard Home for Boys, **John P. Odom,** was named the 14th annual recipient of the Book of Golden Deeds award of the Hickory Exchange club.

Paul G. Sechrist of Thomasville has been appointed assistant manager of Collier Ellis and company in High Point.

'50 **Thomas Clark** of Granite Falls and Betty J. Bradshaw of Lenoir were united in marriage on Sept. 14 in Lenoir. Mr. Clark is employed as produce manager at Lowe's Super Market, Hickory.

W. M. Frazier of Lenoir was recently appointed as a state probation officer in the Lenoir area.

The president of Guardian Insurance & Realty company in Hendersonville, **B. H. Laughridge,** has been appointed general agent for Fidelity Bankers Life Insurance company of Richmond, Va.

'51 Former purchasing agent and personnel director for Superior Chair, Inc., **Frank Little** of Maiden, has been appointed sales representative for Phillips-Foscue corporation in Hickory.

Mr. and Mrs. **Weyburn Seabock** of Hickory have been named co-chairmen of the 1966 Hickory drive for United Cerebral Palsy of North Carolina.

'53 Mrs. Harry M. **(Lois Anne DeOrsey)** Snyder of Hickory has been selected to appear in the 1966 edition of "Outstanding Young Women of America." She was nominated by the Federated Garden Clubs and the United Cerebral Palsy of N. C. She has been chairman of the Catawba county cerebral palsy drive for the last five years.

Jack C. Setzer of North Wilkesboro has been transferred to Charlottesville, Va. where he is district manager of Central Telephone company.

'54 Citadel Square Baptist church, Charleston, S. C. was the setting for the Oct. 9 wedding of Miss **Lois Kathryn Owen** of Charleston and George Harmon Wellman, Jr. of Salisbury. Mrs. Wellman is employed as a medical technologist at the Rowan Memorial Hospital, Salisbury. Mr. Wellman is employed in the engineering department of Colonial Steel in Salisbury where they live.

Carroll L. Saine of Bon Air, Va. was recently promoted to trust officer of the Central National Bank in Richmond, Va.

'55 Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee **(Emily Beaver)** Stirewalt of Salisbury announced the birth of a daughter, Lois Katherine, on Nov. 14.

The Rev. **Nevin Feather** has accepted a call to become pastor of First United Church of Christ at Landis, N. C.

The bond chairman for the 1965 TB Christmas seal campaign in Asheboro was the Rev. **Don Woolly,** pastor of St. John's Lutheran church.

'56 Mr. and Mrs. **Willie Lee Stirewalt** of Salisbury announced the birth of a daughter, Lois Katherine, on Nov. 14.

A former teacher and principal in the Rowan county school system, **Jerry Beaver,** has accepted the recently-created position of project coordinator for the New Hanover County Federal Aid to Schools program.

The supervisor of accounting and servicing in the mortgage loan department of Wachovia Bank & Trust company, Winston-Salem, **Richard McMackin,** was recently elected assistant secretary of the company.

The Valdese Jaycees recently named **Glenn Ray Yoder,** principal of the Valdese Elementary school, "Young Man of the Year."

'57 Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. **(Marie Coulter)** Toney moved to Roanoke, Va. in July. Mr. Toney was transferred from Yadkinville to become area construction engineer with the Soil Conservation Service (USDA) in Roanoke.

Miss Aubrey Grey Thomas of Asheboro and **Norman Roy Nance,** also of Asheboro, were married in Asheboro on Nov. 21. Mr. Nance is employed with Klopman Mills, Inc., Newbern, Va., as office manager. They live in Newbern.

'58 The Rev. & Mrs. Harvey L. **(Susanne Snyder)** Blume of Lumberton announced the birth of a daughter, Carol Diane, on Nov. 2.

The editor of the Durham Morning Herald, **Paul Fogleman,** recently won third place in the Associated Press' 1965 Feature Exchange contest for his story "Duke Prof. Uses New Method on Dropout Problem."

Mr. and Mrs. **James A. Mundy** of Huntersville announced the birth of a daughter, Elise Kirsanne, on Sept. 23. Mr. Mundy is on the staff at John McKnight-Alexander junior high school in Huntersville.

A son, Norman Andrew, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. **Norman Punch** on Aug. 23.

RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS study courses were made available to Lenoir Rhyne students and professors in January when the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies brought its mobile radioisotope laboratory to the campus for three weeks. During the period, 14 faculty members and advanced science students received specialized training in the techniques and applications of handling radioactive materials. The laboratory on wheels, valued at $85,000, is sponsored by the Oak Ridge Institute and the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission.

A PIANO QUINTET helped provide the entertainment for a special convocation at Lenoir Rhyne recently honoring the college's music department and its head, Prof. Kenneth B. Lee. The event, a feature commemorating the college's 75th anniversary year, included a selection of Norwegian melodies by the five pianists organized by Dr. Laura Clayton (left), assistant professor of English and Latin. The other pianists (clockwise) are Miss Joan Glass of Lenoir, Barry Long of Lincolnton, Mrs. Faith Thomas Young of Hickory, and Robert Jameson of Hickory.

Mr. Punch, a former coach and assistant professor at Lenoir Rhyne, has accepted a position with Regal Manufacturing company in Hickory.

A son, Robert Eugene, III, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert **(Yvonne Seagle)** McCarthern, Jr. of Charlotte on Oct. 29.

Robert M. Shores of Hickory recently joined Superior Cable as a production engineer.

An aerospace technologist electronics engineer and head of the tracking development section at Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbolt, Md., **Robert E. Taylor** of Silver Springs, Md., has invented and developed a new satellite tracking system.

The former personnel manager at Broughton hospital, **Wayne M. Williams** of Morganton, was recently appointed assistant business manager of Western Carolina center. He also served as co-chairman of the public and professional division of the 1965-66 Burke County United Fund drive.

'59 Lt. **John R. Adkins** of Hickory has accepted pilot employment with Pan-American World Airways. He will receive training as a co-pilot navigator and will be based at John F. Kennedy International Airport in New York.

A journalism teacher at Hickory High School, Miss **Revonda Jean Ball,** received honorable mention in the Newspaper Fund, Inc., annual High School Journalism Teacher of the Year competition.

Captain and Mrs. Don **(Suzanne Beal)** Chapman are stationed with the Korean Military Advisory Group in Seoul, Korea, for two years. They have two sons, Greg and Brent.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates **(Nelda Lawing)** Wilkinson now live in Statesville where he is an elementary school principal. They have one daughter, Kimberly Ann, who is nine months old.

Former guidance coordinator for the Catawba County schools, **Rex Glenn Sigmon** of Hickory, has joined the staff of Caldwell Technical Institute at Lenoir as director of student personnel.

Maurice Dean Sives of High Point has been honored with a national sales award from the Sandez Pharmaceuticals company of Hanover, N. J. Mr. Sives has also taken an Asian assignment which includes the Philippines, Hong Kong and Tokyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel William **(Linda Summey)** Hoyle of Dallas announced the birth of a son, David William, Jr., on Sept. 12.

Richard Tyndall of Winston-Salem recently joined the law firm of Deal, Hutchins, and Minor of Winston-Salem.

Ted R. Wells of Canton has been appointed an agent for Nationwide Insurance company in Canton.

'60 Homer Lee Broome and Miss **Nancy Carol Brown** were united in marriage on June 2 in Troutman. The bride teaches in Mt. Holly and Mr. Broome is employed by Wells Construction company of Charlotte. They live in Charlotte.

U. S. Air Force Captain, **Peter M. Buff, Jr.** of Drexel, was recently stationed temporarily at Kindley Air Force Base, Bermuda. He was a part of the Air Force Rescue Service force deployed around the world to help the two astronaut crews after America's first attempt at a manned rendezvous in space.

A daughter, Samantha Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sammie **(Jean Costner)** Harris of Dallas on May 29. Mr. Harris was recently promoted to manager of Seth Lumber company in Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. **Daniel William Hoyle** of Dallas announced the birth of a son, David William, Jr., on Sept. 21.

David Lutz of Burlington, Mass., recently transferred his commission from the U. S. Army to the U. S. Public Health Service. He is serving as a senior assistant at the Northeastern Radiological Health laboratory at Winchester, Mass.

Richard E. Maxey of Kings Mountain was recently appointed executive officer of the new First-Citizens Bank & Trust company in Kings Mountain.

The Rev. **Roland Mullinix** was the director of a play, "Our Kind", presented recently at First Methodist church, Charlotte, where he is an associate minister.

Miss **Charlotte Elizabeth Reece** has enrolled in the graduate program of education and training in social work in the School of Social Welfare at Florida State university.

The pastor of St. Timothy Lutheran church, Hickory, the Rev. **Gary Lee Safrit,** and Miss Brenda Arcuri of Hickory were united in marriage on Oct. 16. in Hickory. Mrs. Safrit is employed at First National Bank of Hickory. They live in Hickory.

'61 Beth-Eden Lutheran church, Newton, was the setting of the Oct. 17 wedding of Miss Nancy Ann Sigmon of Newton and **Donald Eugene Bumgarner** of Conover. Mr. Bumgarner is vice president of the Piedmont Bottling and Vending company. Mrs. Bumgarner is employed in the office of Republic Packaging company of Conover. They reside in Conover.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas **(Nancy Conelly)** Henderson of Raleigh announced the birth of a son, Mark Thomas, on May 19.

A son, Norman Andrew, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman **(Vernice Frye)** Punch of Hickory on Aug. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. **William K. Hollar** of Jacksonville, Fla., announced the birth of a daughter, Ravn Christine, in March. Mr. Hollar graduated from Lutheran Theological Seminary at Columbus, Ohio, on June 6. On July 1 he became pastor of Fellowship Lutheran church in Jacksonville.

A son, Jeffrey Ray, was born to Mr. and Mrs. **Steven Kiser** of Kannapolis on Nov. 28.

St. Matthews Lutheran church, Keene, N. H., was the setting for the June 12 wedding of **Peggy Joyce Merritt** of Wilmington and Daniel Lee Craig of Westmoreland, N. H.

Medwood Baptist church, Charlotte, was the scene of the Dec. 19 wedding of Miss **Laura Owen** of Troy and Emil Albert Pfister of Waxhaw. Mrs. Pfister teaches first grade at Highland school in Charlotte. Mr. Pfister is a sales engineer for Cutler-Hammer, Inc.

Joseph Maurice Granadi of Athens, Ga. and Miss **Janice Weaver** of Hickory were united in marriage on Sept. 4 in Hickory. Mr. Granadi is employed with Southern Mill Supply company in Athens as salesman for textile machinery. Mrs. Granadi is teaching first grade in the Cobb County, Ga., school system.

'62 **David R. Bethune** of Norfolk recently joined Lederle Laboratories, a division of American Cyanamid company as medical representative in the Richmond district.

Glenn R. Boyd of Hickory has joined the staff of the Hickory realty firm of Aiken and Long as a salesman.

The pastor of Zion Hill Baptist church, Lawndale, the Rev. **James G. Earley,** has enrolled in the School of Pastoral Care at N. C. Baptist hospital, Winston-Salem, for the six-week course in dealing with the problems of sick people.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven **(Cathy Farabee)** Kiser of Kannapolis announced the birth of a son, Jeffrey Ray, on Nov. 28.

Charles Edward Haupt of Newton and Miss Brenda Elaine Herman of Conover exchanged wedding vows in Conover on Oct. 23. They live in Hickory.

Ephesus Baptist church, Cary, was the setting for the Dec. 19 wedding of Miss Lorene Jeanette Blackburn of Raleigh and **Harry Nelson Horton** of China Grove. Mr. Horton is loan manager of Universal C. I. T. in Hickory. They reside in Hickory.

Stuart Bryson Smith of Lenoir has accepted a faculty position as assistant professor of sociology and social welfare at Chapman College, Orange, Calif.

Paul Harold McClain of Tocca, Ga. and Miss **Sarah Ann Wallace** of Valdese exchanged wedding vows in Valdese on Dec. 28. They live in Quonset Point, R. I., where Ensign McClain is stationed with the U. S. Navy.

Edward Bland Linden and Miss **Ella Walters,** both of Rural Hall, were united in marriage on Nov. 25 in Winston-Salem. Mrs. Linden teaches at Rural Hall school. Mr. Linden is employed by Fairchild Hiller corporation. They live in Rural Hall.

A daughter, Monica Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry **(Evelyn Schrum)** Shook of Maiden on Oct. 14.

Mrs. **Kay Smith** Vance of Lincolnton is now a graduate assistant in the Department of English at Appalachian State Teachers college in Boone.

James Dan Yount of Granite Falls is completing work on a doctor of philosophy degree at the University of Texas.

'63 Viewmont Baptist church, Hickory, was the setting for the November wedding of Miss Nancy Brown and **Ted Williams Frye,** both of Hickory. Mrs. Frye is a case worker for the Catawba county department of public welfare. They live in Conover.

Roy Spaulding of Brownwood, Tex., and Miss **Freda Joyce Hollar** of Claremont were united in marriage April 11 in Claremont. Mrs. Spaulding is employed by Hampton school system in Hampton, Va.

J. David Mauney, III has been awarded a teaching fellowship at East Carolina college.

Tommy Dale Sawyer of Columbia, Mich. and **Judith Diane Scott** of Mooresville were married in Mooresville on Sept. 26. The bride has been a secretary with Reeve's Brothers, Inc., in Cornelius. Mr. Sawyer is serving in the U. S. Air Force.

A son, Michael John, was born to Mr. and Mrs. **Don (Mary Jane Michael) Smith** of Decatur, Ga. on July 16. Don, a senior at Columbia Theological Southern seminary, is president of his class. This past summer he served at First Presbyterian church, Kannapolis.

Warren Gideon Holler of Ogdensburg, N. Y. and Miss **Kitty Kay Thornburg** of Dallas were married Oct. 16 in Dallas. Mr. Holler is a design engineer for the Vertol Division of Boeing Aircraft in Morton, Pa. Mrs. Holler is a teacher at Smathmore, Pa., Elementary school. They live in Philadelphia, Pa.

First Lieut. **David N. Webber** of Hickory has been transferred to duty at Clark Air Force Base, Philippines.

'64 John Waller Eggleston of Fort Rucker, Ala., and Miss **Judy Brown Hefner** of Conover exchanged wedding vows in Hickory on Dec. 19.

Davis Memorial chapel of Wake Forest college was the scene of the Nov. 27 wedding of Miss **Joyce Ann Rutledge** of Gastonia and William Thomas Cranfill, Jr., of Winston-Salem. Mrs. Cranfill is a secretary in the personnel department of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco company. Mr. Cranfill is studying at Wake Forest School of Law. They live in Winston-Salem.

'65 The pastor of St. Timothy Lutheran church, Hickory, the Rev. Gary Lee Safrit, and Miss **Brenda Ann Arcuri** of Hickory were united in marriage on Oct. 16 in Hickory. Mrs. Safrit is employed at First National Bank of Hickory. The couple resides in Hickory.

Miss **Karen Branner** of New Market, Va., recently began her duties as parish worker at Muhlenberg church, Harrisonburg, Va.

Viewmont Baptist church, Hickory was the scene of the November wedding of Miss **Nancy Brown** of Hickory and Ted Williams Frye also of Hickory. Mrs. Frye is a case worker for the Catawba county department of public welfare. They live in Conover.

First Baptist church, Lumberton, was the setting for the Jan. 2 wedding of Miss Nancy Lee Walton of Lumberton and **Macy Arnold Foster** of Henderson. They both attended Pembroke State College in Pembroke.

Miss **Naomi Knaul** has enrolled in the graduate program of education and training in social work in the School of Social Welfare at Florida State university.

Miss **Carolina Bagby Mauney** of Cherryville and James Bonner Hasty, Jr., of Hickory were united in marriage on Dec. 26 in Cherryville. Mrs. Hasty is teaching in the Hickory city schools. They live in Hickory.

William Carroll Widenhouse of Roanoke, Va. and Miss **Mary Ann Mosher,** of Phillipsburg, N. J., were united in marriage Sept. 10 in Phillipsburg. Mr. Widenhouse is employed by the General Electric company in Roanoke, where the couple lives.

The marriage of Miss Peggy Sue Rice of Conover and **Freddie Mac Sherrill** of Asheville was solemnized July 31 in Conover. Mr. Sherrill is employed by General Electric Credit corporation in Asheville.

Miss **Blanche Elizabeth Stafford** of Roanoke Rapids was presented in the first recital of the school year at East Carolina college, Greenville, on Sept. 20. She is working toward her bachelor of music degree.

Grand Avenue Methodist church, Hot Springs, Ark., was the scene of the Nov. 24 wedding of Miss **Alice Eve Thompson** of Hot Springs and Lester Floyd Judkins of Little Rock. Mr. Judkins is a manager-trainer for Arkansas Motor Freight.

Miss Sue Keller of Charlotte and **Thomas J. White** of Lenoir were united in marriage in Charlotte on Nov. 17. Mr. White is employed at F. N. Thompson, Inc., in Charlotte.

John Drew Woerner and Miss Diane Louise Witmer, both of Morganton, were married Aug. 28 in Lancaster, Pa. They live in Mooresville.

First Presbyterian Church, Bessemer City, was the scene of the Jan. 2 wedding of Miss Karen Elaine Deck of Hickory and **Charles Edward Yount** of Rocky Mount. Mr. Yount is teaching at Statesville high school. They live in Hickory.

'66 St. Mark's Lutheran church, Charlotte, was the scene of the Aug. 1 wedding of Miss Mary Pamela Harkey of Charlotte and **John William Beach, Jr.,** of Hickory. Mr. Beach is employed at Dennison Machine Tool company in Valdese.

Grace Chapel Methodist church, Granite Falls, was the setting for the July 11 wedding of Miss **Brenda Crisp** of Granite Falls and Dillard Stines of Morganton. Mrs. Stines is employed as secretary in the contract department of Drexel Enterprises. Mr. Stines is employed by Drexel Furniture company.

John Royal Jones, III, and Miss **Rachel Louise Moretz,** both of Hickory, were united in marriage in Hickory on Aug. 22, Mrs. Jones is employed in the office of Superior Cable corporation.

Michael Sanders Olsen of Falls Church, Va., and Miss **Marilyn Jo Shull** of Tampa, Fla., were married July 24 in Tampa. Mr. Olsen is employed with the Carolinas Association of Mutual Insurance Agents, Raleigh, as associate editor of the Mutualizer, the association's monthly trade magazine. They live in Raleigh.

Miss Linda Jo Craven and **Billie Houston Roberts, Jr.,** both of Asheboro, were married June 5 in Asheboro Friends meeting house in Asheboro. Mrs. Roberts is a rising junior at Guilford college where she is majoring in elementary education. Mr. Roberts is employed at Chair City Tire and Recapping service in Thomasville. The couple lives at Guilford College.

The Methodist church, Hildebran, was the setting for the Aug. 14 wedding of Miss **Sheila Nadine Sparks** of Connelly Springs and Virgil Walter Eller of Hickory. Mrs. Eller is employed by Cline-Southern Insurance agency. Mr. Eller is employed with the Hickory police department. The couple lives in Hickory.

Airman Third Class **Michael C. Tysinger** of Thomasville has been graduated from the training course for U. S. Air Force chaplain service specialists at Amartelo Air Force Base, Texas. He is being reassigned to Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., as a member of the Air University.

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